



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Shigemichi YAMAWAKI

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For: THIN-WALLED, LIGHTWEIGHT
COOLED TURBINE BLADE

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AMENDMENT (A)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated December 15, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.